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AMERICANS FROM LEBANON

REF: JIDDA 4855

WE ARE REPEATING TO YOU JIDDA REFTEL WHICH REPORTS CROWN
PRINCE FAHD'S RECOMMENDATION THAT USG EVACUATE ALL AMERI-
CANS FROM LEBANON WITHOUT DELAY. I KNOW THAT YOU HAVE
BEEN CONSIDERING THIS AND THAT YOUR MOST RECENT JUDGMENT
WAS THAT THE TIME HAD NOT RPT NOT COME WHEN WE NEEDED TO
MAKE SUCH A DECISION. WE WOULD, HOWEVER, LIKE YOU TO TAKE
ANOTHER LOOK AT THIS QUESTION IN LIGHT OF FAHD'S RECOM-
MENDATION AND LET US HAVE YOUR COMMENTS BY OPENING OF
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